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Jimmie's Pluck....

How a Canadian boy rescued his brother and captured a pair of bush robbers.

By R. G. PAIGE

JIMMIE McPherson threw the big armful of wood behind the cabin stove and pursing up his lips blew upon his fingers.

"Easy! but it's cold!" he shivered "do you think it's likely to moderate before mornin', dad?"

The man stretching a milk skin, before the fire, shook his head.

"I'm afeared not, son," he answered, "the usually lasts for three days, this cold spell; tomorrow night you should see her back broken, but she'll like be bitter cold ag'in to-night. You best put on the kettle, Jimmie; Bob will be comin' in soon cold and tired after trampin' nine miles through the woods."

"I've been wonderin' if he would come to-night," observed Jimmie, as he hastened to fill the tin kettle from the water bucket and place it in the stove to boil, "maybe the cold will hold him at the Settlement till tomorrow, dad."

"Not likely," said the father. "That money he will get for the work we did last fall in Wilson's slaying will simply burn his fingers till he turns it over to me to take care of. He must carry a big sum of money around and one hundred and fifty dollars is quite a lot of money, son."

"It is," agreed Jimmie, gravely. "Gee, dad," he laughed, "think what I could buy with that sum; a new rifle and a lot of ammunition and a suit of store clothes and a blanket, and—"

"Hold on, hold on," laughed the man, "what in the world would you do with store clothes 'way here in the woods?"

"Vest 'em," answered Jimmie, "put 'em on and pretend I'm in the city, say," he chuckled, "I'll bet anythin' the dogs wouldn't know me if I was dressed up, dad."

"Oh, they'd know you like enough," said the father, "but they wouldn't be very friendly with you, Jimmie. Bush dogs don't like store clothes over much; they like smoky old buckskins better. Better lift the kettle off, son," he admonished, "she's boiling over."

"It's gettin' dark," observed Jimmie, as he placed the stove lid beneath the kettle, "isn't it time Bob was back, don't you think?"

"Pretty nigh time," answered the father, rising and hanging the stretched pelt on a nail in the wall, along side of others of its kind.

Jimmie went to the small cabin window and gazed out on the winter-held world. On all sides stood great trees, gaunt and silent, with snow-laden branches reaching towards the leaden winter skies.

Suddenly he turned and sprang towards the door. "He's comin', dad," he cried, "I see old Rover trottin' up the trail. Bob won't be far behind him. I'm goin' down and meet him."

He snatched his fur cap from its peg and a puff of powdered snow struck him in the face as he stepped outside.

"Where's Bob, purp?" shouted Jimmie to the old dog who sprang up to lick his face in greeting; "you must have leaved it home pretty fast; don't seem to be anywhere in sight yet."

The dog wagged his tail and gave a low whine, then he turned back on the path and took a few steps in the opposite direction.

"What's the matter with you?" asked the lad anxiously. Again the dog whined, looking up into Jimmie's face and taking little steps backward on the trail leading into the forest.

A moment later Jimmie burst into the cabin: "Somebody's happened to Bob," he cried, "I'm goin' back along the trail to look for him, dad. You stay here and keep the fire goin'; I won't be long 'cause he can't be very far away, else Rover wouldn't have left him."

And before the father could answer he had snatched his rifle from the rack and was outside, running with long smooth strides such as long treks through the Canadian woods had taught him to take untrillingly, down the trail, leaping for miles and miles into the thick forest, and now almost hidden beneath the shadows of the quick winter twilight.

The dog ran ahead of him, throwing his head back over his shaggy shoulder or now and then to admit a short bark of encouragement. For half an hour Jimmie loped along, practised eyes glancing from side to side in search of his brother, hoping in his heart that he would not find him huddled near the snow; for that, in the rigorous cold of the northern Canadian forest would mean but one thing.

All at once the dog, now quite a considerable distance ahead of him, stopped on the trail, and looked back at Jimmie.

"What is it, Rover?" asked the boy, bending to examine the snow in the fading light.

"Why there's three pairs of tracks, here," he said wonderingly, "and—"

He stood up and gripping his rifle, peered on all sides of him.

The old dog moved restlessly towards the thick timber on the right of the trail. Not a time second did Jimmie hesitate. With a low spoken, "quiet boy," he followed the dog into the gloomy forest. He did not have to watch for the tracks that led away somewhere into the wilderness, the dog did that. His part lay in finding the men who had overpowered his brother. What to do then he gave no thought to.

It seemed hours and hours to the lad before the actions of the dog showed that they were nearing the end of the search. The cold was piercing, relentless. It seemed to grip right hold of the boy's bones. But he paid no attention to the cold; he was thinking of something else.

Suddenly far ahead, through the trees, he discerned a blinking light. Ten minutes later he stood in a thicket of birch in the edge of a small clearing. Standing there, so close to him that he could have reached out and touched it, was a rough log cabin. Its one smoke-grimed window pane was towards Jimmie and through it he saw two rough-looking men seated before a rude table. They were eating their supper, cutting bread from a huge loaf and dipping it in the plates of something that looked like partridge stew. Lying on a pile of skins in a dark corner of the room, his hands and feet securely bound, was Bob Jimmie, standing numb and shivering close beside the window, took minute stock of everything. He noticed that the rifles belonging to the men stood close beside each other against the wall farthest from them.

Between the men and their guns was the door. If he thought, he could only spring inside and get between them and their rifles, he would have the robbers at a disadvantage.

He saw one of the men put his hand in his pocket and take out a roll of bills. This he divided into two parts, passing one over to his watchful companion. Then he pushed his stool back from the table, and lifting a wooden bucket from a bench, pulled up his cap and mittens.

Jimmie divined that he was going somewhere for a bucket of water.

The lad slipped around towards the door, the old dog close at his heels. A moment later a flood of candle light painted the white snow on a shabby yellow, and the door slammed shut behind the man for whom Jimmie waited. As he shuffled forward along the edge of Jimmie, the lad glided out and raising his heavy rifle brought it down on the far-capped head with all the strength his cold-fingered arms could command.

That strength was quite sufficient for his purpose. Without so much as a groan, the man sank down on the carpet. Waiting only to see if he were sufficiently disabled to make him no longer a menace Jimmie crept towards the door. The latch gave beneath his fingers and as he stepped into the room, rifle cocked and held in readiness, the other man spoke gruffly. "I told you the cold ad drive me back, Jackson."

Then he glanced up from the pile of money he was counting and slowly the color left his cheeks. Standing with his back to the door, his eyes looking along the barrel of a rifle stood Jimmie.

"Back up to that far corner," commanded the boy. "Now then," as the other quickly obeyed, "you stand there with your hands up. If you let 'em down, I'll plug you just as sure as my name's Jimmie McPherson. Now, Rover, you watch him."

The old dog, his back bristles erect, his long teeth gleaming in a snarl, crept forward and stood in front of the ruffian. Still keeping his rifle at attention, Jimmie felt in his belt and drew out his hunting-knife. Stepping backward, he knelt beside his brother and in a moment had cut the things which bound his wrists and ankles. The next moment Bob was on his feet beside him.

It did not take them long to dispose of the robber. Quietly and effectively he was bound with the same things which had held Bob prisoner, and deposited in the corner upon the bear skin. Then the boys turned their attention to the man who had shot him.

They found him sitting dazedly in the snow. Holding the rifle against his back, they marched him into the cabin and treated him as they had treated his partner in crime.

Next, the boys filled the big stove with green birch, and securely locking the door of the cabin, took the trail for home. Needless to say the money which the men had stolen from Bob, was once more in his possession.

Scarcely had they reached home and recounted to their mother the particulars of the wonderful adventure which had happened to them the while they ate a hot supper, when there came a knock on the door and in stepped a couple of officers from the Settlement.

One of them explained that they were hunting for two desperadoes who had been committing sundry depredations throughout the Settlement.

When it was learned that the boys had effectively caught the men, and in what manner, they were warm in their praise of their pluck and strategy. One thing the oldest officer told them which they always remembered and which served them well in after life, and that was that the big men of Canada were bound to be the boys who were not afraid to face danger.

Preserve the Woods.

A few drops of oil of lavender and Canada balsam sprinkled on both shelves will prevent books becoming moldy.

SALONICA

Salonica was under rule of the Turks for six centuries before I came into the possession of the Greeks again, but it never became a Turkish city, although it contains more than thirty mosques. More than half of the population consists of Jews, who practically control all trade and commerce. The Jews immigrated from Spain during the sixteenth century and they are still called "Spaniards." At the beginning of the seventeenth century the city and thirty-six Jewish congregations and its High School for Rabbis was famous throughout the East. Samuel Unio, a Jewish poet of that time, called the city "a mother of the Jews, a paradise the like of which can be found nowhere in the wide world."

The historian Hadschi Khalifa reports that the rugs and carpets produced by the Jewish weavers of Salonica were more famous during the seventeenth century than those of Smyrna and Persia. The Jewish merchants of the city supplied Occidental countries with the products of the Orient and sent their ships to Venice, Genoa, Marseilles, Spain, and even England and the German Hanse ports. Formerly the 65,000 Jews of Salonica lived in a ghetto, but more than 2,000 of their houses were destroyed by fire in September, 1890, and they are now scattered all over the city. They form about fifty-five per cent. of the population. The rest of the inhabitants consists of twenty-five per cent. Greeks, fifteen per cent. Bulgarians and five per cent. Bulgarians, Serbians and Italians. The Jews still speak a corrupt Greek, but most of them also understand Greek, Bulgarian, Serbian, Italian or Turkish. In the past three centuries they have given to Turkey some of her greatest statesmen.

This Boy Lived in the Trenches

Robert Vincent, sixteen-year-old son of a Boston doctor, who ran away from home and got to France where he joined the boy scouts and was sent to the front as a despatch carrier. After eight months in the trenches the French authorities sought him out and packed him home.

While the British army before the war had the reputation for being officered by aristocrats, this was not generally so and it became less of a true statement every day. Indeed many of the Generals were once private and worked their way up by sheer ability. There is, for instance, Brigadier-General J. T. R. Wilson, who went to the Dardanelles as Colonel of the Fifth Battalion of the Royal Scots, won his Distinguished Service Order for initiative and fine powers of leadership, and was promoted to the command of a brigade. Twenty-one years previously he joined the High Constables' Company of the Queen's Edinburgh Rifles as a private and rose steadily until he commanded it.

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Lord Reading's Trench Story

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"Two soldiers at the front were smoking under a tree somewhere in France," said his lordship.

"This war will last a long time yet," said the first of the pair. "Our company has planted rose bushes in front of our trench."

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Duties—Six months residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required except where residence is performed in the vicinity.

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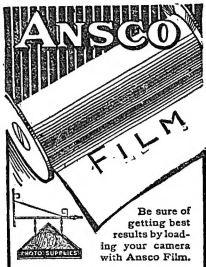
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Unfurl the good old flag on Saturday next, St. Julien's day. Canadians can feel justly proud of the heroic action of our brave sons on that day. Many of them died gloriously that that flag might fly. Let your loyalty to our brave boys, many of them from the West, have expression in this manner. If you have not a flag, get one. If you can not buy one, make one out of something red, blood red, an emblem of the rich gloriously proud red blood shed for us by these our sons, who have been privileged to die for their country and for us. Can you do less than thus honor them?

WORK OF MR. MICHENER AND THE OPPOSITION

The Calgary Albertan is very much worried over the leadership of the Conservative party in Alberta. It thinks Mr. Michener is a failure. It has been telling the public so all along, and that he is not the kind of man to lead his party out of the wilderness, which is all very well in the meanwhile, with all due respect to this tinkling cymbal of Sifton-Crossman, Mr. Michener is doing business at the old stand for honest government in Alberta.

He is the one man that has made the Sifton-Cross government sit up and pay attention.

He has succeeded in bringing charges against the government that no honest man or body of men can laugh at or turn aside by foolish jest. The Stanley charges demand investigation or the Sifton government is doomed. Hon. Frank Oliver is said to have remarked that Premier Sifton made the greatest mistake of his life when he refused to look into the charges. And there are more to follow.

The Calgary Herald, in speaking of the record of Mr. Michener and his staunch little band of followers, says that the Alberta opposition is by no means the useless aggregation of log rollers our friends, the enemy, would have the people believe has been very clearly demonstrated already this session of the legislature. While it is true members of the opposition cannot initiate legislation without government permission, it is a fact that opposition criticism and suggestion frequently force the Sifton government to do things it really ought to do without being prodded. Here are some of the things Conservative prodding has produced this session:

Woods—Hoadley, Okotoks, after years of hammering the government for its inaction in this matter, has at last succeeded in getting promises of action.

Soldiers' votes—R. Michener, leader of the opposition, gave notice

that he would move that votes be given soldiers, and the next day the government announced the bringing down of a bill.

Moratorium—Dr. T. H. Blow (Cons.) urged the government to bring down a moratorium, and in a few days the government brings down one for soldiers, which must automatically affect certain civilians who cannot pay if soldiers cannot pay them.

Stock inspection—John Kemmis (Cons.) advised the government to bring down better stock inspection laws, and within three days they were introduced.

Lunatics—Dr. Stanley (Cons.) gave notice of motion to better conditions for lunatics. Within a week a new lunacy bill was introduced.

Patronage—A. F. Ewing (Cons.) gave notice of motion to have patronage out of the civil service, and the bitterest Liberal paper in the province commended him for it.

Miners' compensation—R. E. Campbell (Cons.) has fought for this three years. The government gave notice this session that it was coming.

Single tax—John Kemmis warned the government that the single tax would prove ineffectual in small towns and villages. This session the government brings down legislation abolishing it, temporarily at least, and possibly permanently.

Not a bad showing for an opposition that is said to be brainless by government supporters.

"Dr. Blow's efforts very much like a political tragedy." "Campbell's charges ended in utter collapse" is the way the Albertan heads two of its articles yesterday. For several weeks it has had the same kind of headlines for the Stanley charges, but it has now changed its tune. Yesterday it said in its leading article, "The Stanley charges should be investigated." This is a great improvement. After the most absurd and foolish jests for weeks it suddenly awakes to the fact that there are thoughtful people in Alberta who are not carried away by such flattery and are entitled to consideration. Of course the charges should be investigated, but so should the Blow and Campbell charges, and the Albertan will come to this way of thinking no doubt in a few days, as it has now come to see the Stanley charges.

SATISFIED WITH THE JUDGES

Toronto Star (Lib.): If a royal commission could determine all the questions at issue, no better selection could have been made than that of Sir William Meredith. There is no reason for doubt that he is straight, acute, fearless and independent. The appointment of Mr. Justice Duff of the supreme court is also perfectly satisfactory. These names will command public confidence.

ALL GONE TO SASKATCHEWAN AND ALBERTA

Winnipeg Free Press: Face to face with things as they are we need no direction from self-appointed "leaders of the people"—the people find themselves perfectly capable of selecting their own path and treading it with firmness. (One is the professional politician—gone, above all, is the spellbinder. The day is past, indeed, when the spellbinder, at \$5 a day and expenses, and guaranteed moderately

sober, was sent into the rural constituency to tell the loyal and intelligent electors of this province how to vote.

IN STORE FOR UNCLE SAM

Frankfurter Gazette: With the fall of England, however, Russia and France will automatically collapse like organs of a body whose heart has been bored through. Then, also, America will remain isolated, and must, for her part, accept any conditions which we impose, because in the peace treaties with our European foes we can, among other things, also demand the handing over of all large battleships and submarines, whereby our fleet would become seven times the strength of the American navy. Then America would be simultaneously compelled to surrender, and, as a matter of course, would not only be compelled to give up all the interned German liners, but also pay all the war expenditure of the German powers and their allies.

Public School Board

The Public School Board met in monthly session Wednesday evening. Present: Mr. Payne, chairman, Mr. H. A. Munro, secretary, Mr. Gaetz, Dr. Sanders, Mr. Simpson and Principal Locke.

The Secretary reported receipt of the half-yearly Government grant of \$800.57, and \$125 grants of \$12.50 and \$12.50 for military drill Cadet corps, 1915 inspection, from the Alberta committee Strathcona trust. The Cadet corps grants are to go to Mr. Addison for equipment for the Corps. The city was giving the board a check for \$2500 next day.

The Trustee Officer reported six investigations, and six pupils returned to school.

The Gaetz-Cornett Co. were given the contract to supply 4500 sashers at \$220.71, their tender being the lowest.

Principal's Report

Principal Locke presented the following report for the month of March.

Stock inspection:—The 22 teaching days. The enrolment for the whole school was 520, as compared with 554 for the same month last year, and 534 for the month of February. I attach a form showing where and how this decrease took place, mostly because of people moving out of town. Grade X had the best record for the month in attendance, 94.70 p.c., while the Nelson Shields were awarded Miss Tyler's prize for the month.

I should like to recommend that we do not open a class for beginners after the Easter vacation, for two reasons (1) the time is too short this year to admit of much good work being done (since school opens after Easter on May 1st); (2) it gives a chance to save about \$150, and the children who might enter at

this time will not lose any advantage which can not be made up next fall. I do not think this would be any false economy.

The report was adopted, and the recommendation of the Principal that no class for beginners be opened after the Easter vacation was endorsed. The following accounts were presented:—John Malcolm \$12.50, John Gieson \$2; Day Hardware Co. \$12.65; E. G. Johns & Co. \$3.50; H. G. Stone \$3.90; T. J. Penfold \$8; City of Red Deer, water rates \$12.50; Wright Hardware Co. \$2.30; Gaetz-Cornett Co. \$7.55; Arch. Fyfe \$10.40; M. A. Munro \$2.15; Red Deer Advertiser, reports \$18; Piper Co., wood, \$27.50; Ed. Anderson \$5.10; Thor. Gudmundsson \$23.70.

The Finance committee will pay a month's salaries of teachers, most of the small accounts, and a proportion on the larger accounts outstanding.

Board of Trade

At a meeting of the Council of the Red Deer Board of Trade on Monday evening, there were present T. A. Gaetz, President, in the chair; John Quigg, secretary; Welliver, Kent, Jurand, Colquhoun, S. V. Day, Maxwell, Burdell, Moyes, Rev. W. G. Brown, H. Wallace.

The principal business was over the delay in completing matters in respect to the industrial spur at block 12, and industrial tracks. Mr. Payne, Mr. Hottel, Mr. Graham, and Mr. A. T. Stephenson participated in the discussion. It was decided that Mr. Welliver should interview Mr. Duval regarding the completion of plans for registration of re-subdivision of Industrial Place. Sundry agreements re matters will be looked up, and an H. M. Trimble account to spur was referred to Mr. Welliver.

General correspondence as to enquiries regarding enquiries in Red Deer and district was laid on the table for the perusal of the Council. A resolution of the Lethbridge Board of Trade, recommending the present political patronage system and suggesting reforms, was endorsed by the Council.

A. Bramley Moore Dies For His Country

Well Known Edmonton Man Left City Soon After War Started

Word was received in the city this morning, by cable, by his widow that Corp. A. Bramley Moore, of the Princess Patricia's, had succumbed to gunshot wounds, received in the trenches on April 1. Corp. Moore was at the hospital at L. Thompson, Mrs. Moore lives on 10th Street.

Mr. Moore, who was formerly member of the provincial legislature for Lethbridge, left Edmonton soon after the outbreak of the war, and proceeded to England, where he joined the Sportsman's Battalion, later the 1st Rifles. Last August he was transferred to the Princess Patricia's, and had been with them since in the trenches.

After some discussion the assessment roll was confirmed and none of the appeals were allowed, except H. Thompson's business tax which was reduced.

H. H. Gaetz and Le Corporation Episcopal will probably appeal to a judge.

The following is the total list of appeals:

Appellant	1916	1915
Le Corp. Episcopal	\$12,000	\$12,000
Ditto	15000	17500
T. J. Bowker	8700	11000
E. H. Anderson	7500	8000
Col. Lavett & Loan	20000	20000
T. Love	4000	5000
R. Archambault	900	1000
A. Riley	5000	5000
Jos. Roland	2500	2500
G. N. Harvey	1800	1800
E. E. Short	2750	2700
Ditto	3400	3800
H. W. Rust	1400	1500
J. E. Walton	10500	12400
Hugh Clarke	24000	27000
Ditto	12000	13500
Harshall-Wells	800	800
A. Raney	600	600
D. H. Trastman	600	625
Clara McCulla	1200	1200
H. Gayman	1400	1400
Ditto	3250	3900
Ditto	1200	1400
Ditto	800	1025
John Murdoch	1000	1000
W. H. Jamieson	1400	1900
Ditto	1400	1800
C. P. R.	8000	18000
Hudson's Bay Co.	1000	100
Kenneth Crook	100	100
L. E. Smith	100	100
L. E. Smith	100	100
L. E. Smith	100	100
A. Heywood	100	100
J. C. Dalgleish	750	300
W. A. Cassels	100	3250
W. H. Stevens	100	100
A. Olson	100	1025
C. N. R. (too high and illegal)		
H. H. Gaetz, (exempt)		
Sask. Land Co.	24000	
A. Lloyd	400	
Miss L. Lord	200	

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SIR THOMAS WHITE, Minister of Finance.

PRODUCE MORE, SAVE MORE.

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SAVE MATERIALS FROM WASTE.

SPEND MONEY WISELY.

LET US PRODUCE AND SAVE—

The war is now turning on a contest of all forces and resources—more money, more money. The call to all is to produce more and more. It may be necessary to work harder. The place of those who enlist is at the front, but those at home, men and women, old and young, must produce more of the goods we can save. Produce more on the farms and in the gardens. Save more and help to win the war.

LET US NOT WASTE MATERIALS—

Begin at home. The larger portion of salaries and wages is spent on the home—food, fuel, light, clothing. Are any of these things being wasted? A \$20.00 a year saved from waste in every home in Canada will mean more than the interest on a war debt of \$500,000,000.

LET US NOT WASTE OUR LABOUR—

In this war-time all labour should be directly productive or should be assisting in production. Make it as efficient as possible. If your labour is on something that can be postponed, put it off till after the war and make your labour tell now. Making war is the first business of all Canadians. Efficiency in labour is as important as efficiency in fighting.

Are you spending your money to the best advantage? What do you think of extravagance in war time? Tens of thousands of Canadians are daily making their lives for us at home. Is it not our duty to be careful and economical? Canadian dollars are an important part of the war equipment. Make them tell. Have a War Savings Account. Buy a War Bond.

THE GOVERNMENT OF CANADA

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Public Library

The record of books borrowed from the Public Library during the month of March is as follows:—

Philosophy.....	4
Religion.....	2
Sociology.....	17
Science.....	31
Useful Arts.....	31
Fine Arts.....	17
Literature.....	40
History.....	59
Fiction.....	510

Total..... 694

As the gardening season is beginning, we should like to call attention to various books on the subject to be had at the Public Library:

Garden Making
Home Vegetable Gardening
Cabbage, Cauliflower and allied vegetables.
Making a Garden with hotbed and cold frame.
Mushrooms: How to grow them.
New Onion Culture.
Principles of Vegetable Gardening.
Propagation of Plants.
Vegetable Gardening.
Vegetable Gardening.
Ornamental Gardening.
Landscape Gardening.
Making a Lawn.
Making Paths and Driveways.
The Care of Trees.
Evergreens.
Trees, shrubs, vines and herbaceous perennials.

Bulbs and Tuberosed-rooted plants
Pansies, Violas and Violets
Roses
Carnations and Pinks
Dahlias
Sweet Peas
Home Floriculture
Practical Floriculture
Window Flower Gardening
New Creations in Plant Life.

Dr. Clark Goes With New Party

Edmonton Journal:—The Free Trade League recently organized in Winnipeg, with Dr. Clark, M.P., as its honorary president, threatens to get the member for Red Deer in wrong with his party. One of the newspapers boosting it declares that "the movement is intended to work in the direction of real freedom of trade, without relying on the pretensions of the federal Liberal party." In view of this statement, can Dr. Clark hold down the position of saintship of the league and the Liberal nomination in Red Deer?

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Clausen's Committed For Trial

Germans Up For The Second Time

Mr. Chas. Clausen and Mr. Theo. Clausen, his father, of the Shady Noct district, Red Deer, on Tuesday had their preliminary trial on charges of sedition before Inspector Lindsay, J.P. Both were committed for trial at the next court of competent criminal jurisdiction at Red Deer. Mr. Theo. Clausen had been fined \$50 by Judge Simmons in February for seditious utterances. The mother said he would desert and bail in both cases, but later, owing to representations as to Mrs. Theo. Clausen's condition, he granted bail to the father in two sureties of \$250 each, and himself in \$500. The bail was furnished by two of his neighbors, and the father released, but Charles Clausen was taken to Calgary to await his trial which will take place next fall. Mr. Quigg appeared for the Crown. Mr. Law for the accused. Corporal Hanna, R.N.W.M.P., presented the cases.

The evidence for the Crown was given by John Soderberg, now of Kipp, but who had worked with his father and with Mr. Filtefort, a neighbor of the Clausens by Anar Soderberg, who worked with his father and during haying of 1914 with the Clausens and by C. H. Filtefort. They were all practically agreed that Charles Clausen had declared he would like to shoot all the U—d—green Englishmen, the most of them that were killed off the border for the country; if I was a green Englishman—this is, untrained as compared with the German soldier—he would shoot me (this to John Soderberg) that he wished every ship that had Canadian or English soldiers on it would go to the bottom before it got across; that he hoped England would get the biggest licking she ever got, and be wiped off the face of the earth; that the Germans did right to sink the Lusitania, and people had no business to travel on her after they were warned; that Germans had a perfect right to blow up bridges, and obstruct travel; that they did right also in shooting Miss Cavell as she was nothing but a spy and should have minded her own business; that Canadian newspapers were full of lies about the Germans, only German papers told the truth; when Germany got through with Great Britain it would be little Britain that would be Germany would rule the world, and everything would be as I like. If he had King George over here, he would kill him. Anar Soderberg said accused wanted him to come in Canada with him, and go over to fight the English, and when he refused this, then he asked Soderberg to go to the States with him and then

to Germany to fight England. The soldiers pointed out that Canada was traps, and not worth anything. To Mr. Filtefort he said that he would shoot all the Englishmen he could, as they were mostly fools and lunatics.

The efforts of the defense were directed to prove, first, that no disturbance followed these alleged remarks of Clausen's, and that nothing was done on Filtefort's part. Clausen told out about other matters. The witnesses admitted that though they did not like what Clausen said, and got away from him as soon as they could, yet they did not want to get into trouble with him, or get him into trouble with the neighbors. Mr. Filtefort said he was afraid of the Clausens, that he believed they would do some damage to him or his property if he informed against them, as he finally did, and he could not stand it any longer. Charles had threatened and abused his married sisters. Second, the defense sought to prove that these utterances were made before the father was fined in February last, and there had been no seditious utterances since. Most of the conversations, the witnesses said, had taken place since last June, when a warrant was first issued against Theo. Clausen for seditious utterances, but they were in doubt as to whether much had been said since the February trial.

The magistrate did not mind words in describing the conduct of the accused in using such language in a British country: had a Britisher spoken any of such expressions in Germany, he would have been put up against a wall and shot; without benefit of a trial. He regretted the law governing sedition was in such unsatisfactory shape and was not designed to meet the present emergencies. He would commit the accused for trial, and would not grant bail. He would go to a judge, if he liked, for that.

The evidence against Theo. Clausen was somewhat similar, though not so extensive. If he was from the old gentleman said, he would drive over with a team and shoot those green Englishmen; if he could do nothing else, he would drive a bread wagon for the Germans. To Anar Soderberg he said, according to Soderberg's evidence, that it did not hurt him to be in a few dollars. He also was committed for trial, and bail accepted for his appearance.

Eckville

Reserve the 24th of May for Eckville.

Last week, the Eckville musicians again demonstrated their power to produce some of the most weird and unearthly sounds, the special occasion being the return to the village with his bride, of our genial liveryman, Chas. Gustavson. Tin cans of all sizes and shapes formed the instruments, and the music produced was so appreciated by the happy couple, that the members of the band were invited to supper.

On Wednesday last, at the conclusion of the Woodman Camp meeting, a debate was held, to which the public were admitted. The subject being Woman's Suffrage, considerable interest was aroused. The affirmative, Mr. Litt and Miss Gudmundson, defeated the negative, Mr. Woods and Mr. Eckford. Mr. Ralph Matchett acted as chairman. Further debates are being arranged.

On Friday evening the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Litt entertained them in the hall. Mr. Litt is joining the R.A.M.C. and will shortly go into training. A handsome Sheffield plate afternoon tea set was presented as a token of the esteem in which both Mr. and Mrs. Litt are held. After a short musical program the evening concluded with a dance. We are sorry to loose such willing workers in every good cause. The gap will be hard to fill.

All Teachers Must Take Oath of Allegiance

That every teacher in Alberta must hereafter take the oath of allegiance before being permitted to teach in provincial schools marks the time as decidedly peculiar, as such a step one that has heretofore been unknown to Canada. Following is a copy of the letter being sent to all teachers in the province:

"Your attention is called to the following regulation: All teachers holding certificates in the province of Alberta will be required to take and subscribe the oath of allegiance in the form provided under the Public Service Act (being chapter 4 of the statutes of Alberta, 1906), before a justice of the peace, notary public, or commissioner for taking affidavits in the province, and shall forward the same to the department within one month after the date hereof.

"Any teacher hereafter qualifying for certificate shall be required to take and subscribe the oath of allegiance and forward the same to the department before such certificate shall be issued.

"I am enclosing herewith a form, which you will kindly complete and return to the department in compliance with this regulation.

"Your obedient servant,
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L. I. D. 401

A meeting of the Council of L.I.D. 401 was held in McKinnon Bros. hall on Saturday, April 8th 1916.

Councillors present:—A. N. McKinnon, Division 1; W. Ellenburgh, Division 2; S. Sande, Division 3; E. Randall, Division 4; J. White, Division 6.

Minutes of last meeting accepted as read.

Moved by McKinnon, seconded by Randall, that the following bills be passed and paid:

Four scrapers, Division 3, \$40.00; McKinnon Bros., spikes and iron, Division 1, \$6.75; Cash book, assessment roll, stamps, stationery \$21; pay sheet No. 4, Division 5, \$114.00.

Moved by Randall, seconded by McKinnon, that Ellenburgh be allowed to buy plank for chairs covering in Division 2.

Moved by Sande, seconded by Randall, that White be allowed to buy one plow, and what scrapers he requires. Secretary was instructed to write to the Department for a copy of the Municipal act for each councilor.

The meeting then adjourned until Saturday, July 1st.

A. SIMS, Secretary Treasurer.

Alberta Grown Timothy Seed Makes a Hit

Six cars of the best quality of timothy seed that has been on the Toronto market for years recently arrived from the Province of Alberta. Practically all this seed is bold and plump in berry, bright in color, and remarkably free from impurities. Some of it, unfortunately, was considerably hulled, due to over-ripeness before being cut and to standing too long in stock before being threshed. Farmers in the prairie provinces who have land that is naturally too rich and too moist to mature cereal grains, would do well to take up the production of timothy seed on an extensive scale. Six cars of timothy seed is a very small part of the requirements of the Toronto market. The duty on timothy seed imported from the United States amounts to seventeen and a half per cent. If the prairie provinces will produce from five hundred to six hundred cars of timothy seed per year, this will go far towards curtailing the importing into Canada of seed now grown in the Mississippi Valley on land valued from \$75 to \$150 per acre.

Hon. Robt. Rogers Takes a Cheerful View of Future

Predicts Revival of Business and Heavy Immigration After the War

Ottawa, April 13. — Public works estimates were the chief bone of contention in the commons yesterday. While there was a great deal of discussion good progress was made, estimates aggregating over seven million dollars being voted. Replying to demands from the Liberal members for the cutting out of some of the votes, and the paring down of expenditure, Hon. Robert Rogers took a hopeful view of the post-war situation. He predicted a big revival of business and a heavy immigration, which would mean abounding revenues again and the prompt continuation of the public works, which were now being temporarily postponed. He spoke glowingly of the vast area still unoccupied in the west and of the tens of thousands of people who would come to Canada from war-stricken Europe as soon as the war was over.

E. M. MacDonald and Hon. George

I. O. D. E. Report

The I.O.D.E. Red Cross Committee beg to acknowledge the following work returned:—

Mrs. Cottingham—6 T bandages
Mrs. John Piper—6 helpless case shirts
Industrial School—6 ice caps, 6 hot water bottle covers.
Mrs. Hunt—1 pair socks.
Mrs. Gilbert—1 pair socks.
Mrs. Gehrke—1 pyjama jacket
W.C.T.U.—18 T bandages, 18 triangular bandages, 2 many-tailed bandages.
Mrs. Markle—1 shirt
Mrs. Durand—2 pyjama jackets
Mrs. Geo. Wright—3 T bandages
Mrs. Collison—6 T bandages
Mrs. Heyward—1 pair socks.
Mrs. Bennett—1 helpless case shirt
Mrs. Nixon—6 triangular bandages
Mrs. Kenny—2 pair socks.
Mrs. Clutterbuck—1 helpless case shirt.
Mrs. Pidgeon—1 pair socks
Mrs. Hamby—1 pyjama pants
Mrs. Howlett—3 many-tailed bandages
Mrs. Samuels—8 triangular bandages
Mrs. Botterill—1 pair socks.
Donations
Alexandra Club—150 yards bandage cotton.
Mrs. G. W. Greene—\$10.00
Officials of Clearwater Forest Reserve, per A. E. Austin—\$11.50.
ALICE SIMPSON, Secretary-Treas.

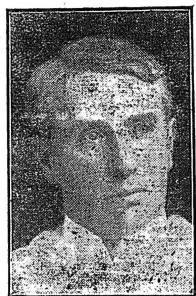
France Reassures Timid Holland

The Hague, April, 13.—The French minister to Holland, on behalf of France, has given Holland the assurance that neither France nor her allies ever contemplated, directly or indirectly, attacking the neutrality of Holland or the inviolability of its territory, and a communication issued by the ministry of foreign affairs, to-day.

The assurance adds that the recent conference of the allies in Paris did not occupy itself with Holland at all.

RUSSIANS SINK ENEMY SUBMARINE

Petrograd, April 9.—The torpedo boat destroyer Stroghe has rammed an enemy submarine near the spot where the hospital ship Portugal was sunk (in the Black Sea), according to the official announcement to-night.



MR. JUSTICE LYMAN P. DUFF, one of the two commissioners appointed by the Dominion Government to investigate the Kite charges.

ADVERTISEMENT Mortgage Sale of Farm Property

Pursuant to the directions of the Registrar and by virtue of the Powers of Sale provided by "The Land Titles Act" under a certain Mortgage which will be produced at the time of the sale.

There will be offered for sale by public auction at the Sheriff's Office in the City of Red Deer, in the Province of Alberta, on

Friday, May 12th, 1916

at the hour of three o'clock in the afternoon the following property namely:

The Northeast Quarter of Section Twenty-four, 24, Township Thirty-eight, 38, Range Twenty-four, 24, West of the Fourth Meridian in the Province of Alberta, containing One hundred and Sixty Acres, more or less.

Terms of Sale to be ten per cent. cash at the time of the sale, and the balance according to the terms and conditions to be made known at the time of the sale or upon application to the vendor's solicitors.

The above property will be offered for sale subject to a sealed reserved bid and free from all encumbrances and taxes for the current year. The Vendor is informed that the above property is situated about 8 miles from the Post Office of Haynes, Alberta, and that there are no improvements of any kind on said lands the soil is light and somewhat stony; there are a number of small sloughs or "pot holes" on the land, the land being fit only for pasture.

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(DATED) at Red Deer, in the Province of Alberta, this 21st day of March, A.D. 1916.

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Approved A. F. MOORE, A.D. Registrar April 11-4-w

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Calgary—June 29 to July 5.
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Edmonton—July 11-15
Alix—July 12
Okotoks—July 18-19
High River—July 23-26
Claresholm—July 27-28
Staveland—August 1
Grannum—August 2-3
Vulcan—August 3-4
Carmangay—August 8-9
Macleod—August 10-11
Gleichen—August 15-16
Langdon—August 18-19
Oyen—August 7-8
Chinook—August 9
Hanna—August 10-11
Highland—August 15
Munson—August 16
Youngstown—August 17-18
Empress—September 5
Berry Creek—September 8
Cochrane—September 5-6
Didsbury—September 7-8
Rocky Mt. House—Sept. 11-12
Ponoka—September 12-13
Innisfail—September 13-14
Leduc—September 19
Oilsa—September 20-21
Milleton—September 22
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Trochu—September 27-28
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Cardston—September 1-2
Deseret (Magrath)—Sept. 5-6
Warner—September 7-8
Stettler—September 15-16
Provost—September 18-19
Gadsby—September 20
Three Hills—July 25
Carbon—July 26
Swainville—July 27-28
Stony Plain—August 15
Vegreville—August 16-17
Camrose—August 18-19
Wetaskiwin—August 22-23
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Fort Saskatchewan—Sept. 6-7
Kitscoty—September 8
Lloydminster—September 12-13
Vermilion—September 14-15
Mannville—September 19
Innisfail—September 20-21
Coronation—August 14-15
Consort—August 16-17
Bridford—August 18
Chapman—August 1
Irma—August 2
Strome-Killam—August 2
Sedgewick—August 8
Daysland—August 9-10
Provost—August 10
Hardisty—August 11
Lacombe—August 15-16-17
Collinton—September 1
Edson—September 5
Entwistle—September 6
Onoway—September 7
Nakamun—September 8
Mid-Pembina (Dunstable)—Sept. 12
Paddle River—September 13
Westlock—September 14
Athabasca—September 15-16
Pincher Creek—September 22-23
Taber—September 25-26
Grassy Lake—September 27-28
Winnifred—September 29-30
Pridley and Millerville—October 3
Bowden—October 4
Rushaw—October 6
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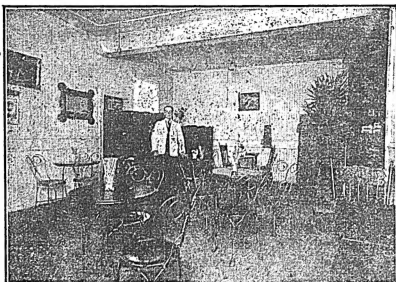
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NOTICE is hereby given that the City of Red Deer will apply to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Alberta at the next session thereof to amend their charter and confirm certain by-laws of the city.

1. To provide for the assessment being completed between the first day of November and the 31st day of December in the year preceding the year to which the said assessment will apply.
2. To validate and confirm by-law No. 418, a by-law to raise certain sums for boulevards.
3. To authorize the Council to pass by-law imposing a license on wholesale merchants or Companies, which have no warehouses within the City limits.
4. To provide for the collection of the business tax before the ordinary taxes.
5. Such other amendments as the Council may deem advisable.

A. T. STEPHENSON,
Secretary-Treasurer

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COUNCIL MEETING

The City Council met in regular session on Thursday evening, April 13th. Mr. Mayor Carswell in the chair and Ald. Smith, J. Jones, Galtz, Collison and Hotterill present.

CORRESPONDENCE

Payne & Graham notified the city that they had been advised by the Calgary agents, Muir, Jepson, Adams and Brownlee, that on the renewal of the city's application for the tax sale of the Hettinger Englewood property, Judge Simmons had granted four weeks further extension of time provided a payment was made to the city of \$25.

The general feeling among the Council was that the city's interests in the case had not been looked after to the best advantage and the following motion was passed: that the solicitor be urged to have the Englewood application transferred to this district for argument. Failing this the most urgent measures be taken to place out case adequately before the Judge when it comes up next time. Carried.

The City Solicitors presented a draft of a city-by-law regulating the sweeping and cleaning of chimneys and flues for the Council's consideration. Filed.

The Calgary Hospitals' Board notified the city that they were holding their next meeting for the hospital fees of Albert Haskins, of Haynes, Alta., a small-pox patient, as authorized by sections 24 and 25 of the Hospital Ordinance. In reply, the Commissioners advised the Board that Haynes was some twenty miles distant from Red Deer, and they did not see how the city of Red Deer was in any way responsible for the fees. Filed.

J. F. Hoyer offered to pay \$300 taxes in advance to the city provided the Council would hand that amount over to the Library Board. Moved by Ald. Galtz, seconded by Ald. Smith, that the grant to the Public Library Board for 1916, passed in the estimates for 1916, be paid as per exchange offered in Mr. Hoyer's letter of April 1, 1916. Carried.

Mrs. Harry E. Haestis, convener of the Klaki League Club of Quebec requested a grant for their Valcartier Camp Club Room. Filed.

The Union of Canadian Municipalities requested annual fee for 1916 of \$5. Ald. Botterill vigorously opposed this grant, claiming that the city derived no important benefits from the Union. Ald. Galtz contended otherwise and favored a grant of \$10 to the Union for a city of Red Deer's size. A motion to this effect was carried.

H. F. Kenney requested permission to build a frame garage for private use behind his residence on Ross St. An application was also received from W. White to erect a frame shed corrugated zinc covered in the rear of his Ross Street premises.

Moved by Ald. Galtz and Ald. Smith, that the letters of H. F. Kenney and W. White be referred to the Building Inspector and Fire Chief to report as to how surrounding property would be affected in fire insurance, as to whether the requests conflict with the building by-law, if so in what respects? Any suggestions they may see fit to make. Carried.

Communications were received from Wood, Gundy & Co. stating they possibly could handle the treasury note issue of the city, but strongly advising against such a method of financing. Filed.

Several communications were received from J. T. Moore, concerning settlement of taxes owing the city. Filed.

COMMISSIONERS' REPORT

The Commissioners' report in the following report:—

Chief Meers returned to duty as Fire Chief on April 3rd, having completed his military training at Calgary.

but, not being able to do so at present, to repair them.

We will submit a supplementary report on the question of repairs to sidewalks.

We submit herewith departmental reports for March.

We submit statement of receipts and disbursements for March.

We submit herewith accounts for your authorization to pay.

We submit for your consideration the following by-laws:

To regulate the cleaning of chimneys.

To borrow the sum of \$3,000.00 by the issue of debentures.

With Chief Meers made a personal inspection of nearly all the sidewalks in the City and found some of the old plank walks in very bad shape. Some of these walks have been laid for about twelve years, and, though we have been repairing them for the several years past, they are now entirely beyond repair, and must be replaced. Some may still be patched up for this year, but will require constant supervision to keep them in shape. The cost of repairs in some cases, may cost half as much as a new walk. All of these old walks were paid for by the city at large, but for the past few years all walks have been laid by the Local Improvements and the cost charged against the properties fronting on the city side.

The rate charged has been 6 cents for 4 ft walks, and 8 cents for 6 ft walks, per foot frontage for seven years.

We would recommend that a committee of the Council be appointed to inspect the walks with the Commissioners and decide where new walks should be laid, to report to the Council at the next meeting, and that the walks be built as Local Improvements on the same plan as in the past.

There should also be some walks, even if only temporary two-plank ones, laid in Woodlawn, as the roads there are very sandy in wet weather and there are few walks laid there, the same committee could report on these.

The following walks are the ones we consider should be replaced as soon as possible:

- (1) On 2nd Ave. East, (Nanton Avenue) East side from 1st Street South (Main St.) to 2nd St. South, (Alexander St.) 6 ft walk, length 253 feet, estimated cost of new walk, \$2,530.
- (2) On 3rd St. South (Eccles St.) from Galtz Ave. to 1st Ave. East (MacKenzie) 4 ft walk, length 500 ft. This grant, claiming that the city derived no important benefits from the Union. Ald. Galtz contended otherwise and favored a grant of \$10 to the Union for a city of Red Deer's size. A motion to this effect was carried.
- (3) On 1st Ave. East, (MacKenzie Ave.) east side from 2nd St. North (Harrison St.) to 4th St. North (McLeod St.) 6 ft walk, length 540 feet, cost to replace \$2,160.
- (4) On 1st Ave. East, (MacKenzie Ave.) west side from 1st St. South (Alexander St.) 4 foot walk, length 250 ft, cost \$75.

Temporary walks required two planks one on each side.

On 3rd St. North (McLeod St.) north side from Poplar St. to Wasikaw Ave., length 300 feet, cost \$36.

On Halley St., east side from 5th St. North, (Douglas St.) to Woodlawn Crescent, length 600 feet, cost \$60.

On Bank St., west side, from Woodlawn Crescent to Poplar Road, length 560 feet, cost \$56.00.

On Poplar Road, south side, from Bank St. to Wasikaw Ave., length 430 feet, cost \$43.

We submit a map showing the location of these walks.

J. A. CARSWELL,
A. T. STEPHENSON.

Report was adopted without a amendment.

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ness tax levied last year only amounted to about \$2700, and an additional 24 per cent would only bring about half the amount required while it would be a decided hardship on the business men.

Ald. Galtz said the assessment of the city amounted to about \$90,000 and this small item added to the amount would only increase the taxes to a slight degree.

The general feeling of the Council was that it was a capital expenditure for water works, and buildings which would benefit the citizens for years and therefore the citizens should be asked to pay for such a large improvement in one year, especially as it was done on behalf of the soldiers and for the benefit of the city at large, and for that, that we absolutely did not have the money at present to pay for the improvements.

A by-law to regulate the sweeping and cleaning of chimneys and flues was introduced but it failed to carry comprehensively the ground the Council desired and was laid over for revision.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Ald. Collison registered a complaint against the action of the Health Inspector in permitting ashes to be dumped on the roads in the north end, and requested that he be asked to have them put in the creek to cover the nuisance.

Ald. Jones brought up the matter of the Fire Brigade attending fires outside the city limits and urged that a change be made in future against those affected. If this charge was not paid, the brigade would not be permitted to respond to the call and one large, or this kind be deemed sufficient.

The Commissioners pointed out the difficulty in assessing this charge arising out of the fact that the majority of the calls are not sent in by those affected, but by neighbors who have noticed the blaze.

The question was an old one, which the Council had previously attempted to solve unsuccessfully. The discussion was closed by the following motion introduced by Ald. Jones and seconded by Ald. Hotterill, that Chief Meers be asked to attend the next meeting of the Council in connection with the matter of fires outside the city limits.

Moved by Ald. Botterill, seconded by Ald. Jones, that the commissioners ascertain from our solicitors the present standing of our building by-law and that a written report be furnished for the next Council meeting. Carried.

Ald. Collison desired to know whether or not the Council could take any action in regard to improving the ventilation in the Lyric Theatre. The Commissioners were of the opinion that this matter could be handled under the prerogative of the Health Board.

Ald. Collison also pointed that the fire exits in the theatre could be made more accessible and that some action should be taken in regard to censoring films, shown for children on Saturday afternoon.

The Council adjourned at 11.30

Military History Being Repeated

In the Sunday issue of the New York Tribune, Mr. Frank Simonds, a well known American military authority, calls attention to the fact that history is repeating itself in this war, and that the theories put forward by the late Admiral Mahan are being vindicated. Mahan is defeating military. Great Britain is defeating Germany. The only really decisive result so far achieved in this war has been achieved by the British navy, and at a trifling cost. It is not for the British navy, Mr. Simonds believes that France and Italy might listen to German overtures for peace. Germany, he says, might even retain Belgium, and perhaps a slice of France if it were not for Great Britain; but she can retain nothing as long as Great Britain retains control of the sea. In short, retaining control of the sea, no matter what victories Germany may win on land, Great Britain can force Germany to accept whatever peace terms she chooses to offer. Germany's only possible hope of victory is in either defeating the British navy or in bringing some pressure to bear upon the British Empire that will cause her to loosen her grip.

KAISER IN NAPOLEON'S SHOES

Mr. Simonds draws an analogy between this war and the struggle against Napoleon. The Corsican made Austria, Prussia and Russia cease the struggle and sue for peace. He made Austria surrender a second time at Wagram. He swept a British expeditionary army out of Spain. His victories were far greater than Germany's military successes up to the present time, for while Germany has conquered territories, Napoleon conquered nations, and destroyed armies. He realized, however, that these victories did not strike at Britain. He sent his fleet and stored ships in the Channel. He had boats gathered there to transport an army to England. He is reported to have said that he could have control of the English Channel for 24 hours if he were master of Europe. He struck against England in Egypt, and failed. In the whole of his career not one of his soldiers set foot on British territory.

BLEU WHITE BY VICTORIES

"So," says Mr. Simonds, "he was forced to fight on, for 'British money and British diplomacy raised new wars in Spain, in Russia, in Austria, and in Italy. The amount due to taxes and arrears and still unpaid by Alexander Louiselle. 7 glass pitchers, 40 dinner plates, 17 dinner plates, 25 side dishes, 25 side dishes, 25 soup plates, 6 soup bowls, 37 dessert saucers, 72 cups and saucers, meat dishes, 22 vegetable dishes, 21 saucers, 5 large platters, 7 potato bowls, 20 egg cups, 2 carpets, 23 bedsteads, 22 mattresses, 33 springs, 23 pair blankets, 11 corner chairs, 10 corner chairs, 4 pillows, 22 toilet sets, 24 dressers, 23 washstands, 38 bedroom chairs, 8 carpet squares, a set 300 yards of linoleum, 30 lamp sideboards, 3 tables, 4 dining room tables, 1 centre table, 2 upholstered chairs, 2 Alberta lecter, 1 rocker, 1 cracker lamp, 1 heater, 1 cash register, 1 clock, 37 cups, 7 glass dishes, 8 glass bowls, 4 vinegar jars, 10 butter pans, 10 group jugs, 1 large dish, 4 bread tins, 18 lamps, 1 water tank, 1 clock, 40 knives, 40 spoons, 10 knives, 17 big spoons, 12 milk jugs, 1 large looking glass, 1 vegetable dishes, 9 salt and pepper cruets, 4 soup bowls, 8 sauce dishes, 1 Dominion piano, 1 demont wagon moved 1 wagon, 1 set sleigh, 1 plows, 4 scrapers, and a large number of articles too numerous to mention.

New York Tribune Favors Roosevelt As U. S. President

Paper, Heretofore Boasting Its Tune Entirely

New York, April 13—The editorial announcement, to-day, by the New York Tribune, that it will support Roosevelt for the presidential nomination on the Republican ticket, is taken to mean the shelving of any shadow of an Elihu Root movement, for the Tribune has been aggressively pro-Roosevelt. It is the understanding here that Mr. Root opposes Justice Hughes for President, and that his ambition would be satisfied with the secretaryship of state under Roosevelt, with an opportunity to participate in the settlement of the European war. The Tribune says:

"We are for Col. Roosevelt because we believe the country needs him. No one else presents so effective anthesis to Wilson as he. If we are Americans, real Americans, the colored man, while timely politics might be justifying the census books and counting the German vote, he spoke and the country hearkened. He is the leader in the fight for Americanism, and we don't believe in changing leaders when we are going to the front."

"We are for Col. Roosevelt in spite of the fact that we were against him four years ago. No one found him harder than we. No one will fight harder for him."

(Signed) A. A. GODDEN,

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Lady having \$3,500 equity in fully modern ten-roomed house in Calgary, wishes to trade same for a quarter section close to railway, or a small home in town. Address owner 2116, 6th St. W. Calgary. April 4, 4-w-

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A maid for general housework, Apply to Mrs. J. E. Cunningham, 93 -5th Street North. Mar 20.

WANTED
A good general servant apply to Mrs. A. T. Stephenson, Poplar St., Red Deer. Mar. 14

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Furnished room, or would board two gentlemen in fully modern house, all latest conveniences, 5th Street N. Apply Webb's music store or P.O. Box 392, Red Deer.

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Two good rays found by the police a few days ago. The same may be had by applying to the Chief of Police, Red Deer. March 8, 14-w-

EGGS FOR HATCHING
Pure-bred White Wyandottes, \$1.50 per 15. Apply to S. N. Carswell, Highland Park. Mar. 14

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A coming 5 year old gelding. Will drive single and double, also used to saddle. Or will trade for a milch cow and 2 year old heifer. Address P.O. Box 7, Edwell P.O. April 3.

ESTRAY
Came on to my place a few days ago, 1 grey mare, 2 years old, no brand, white star on forehead. Owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses. W. Huskins, Condon. April 1, 3-w-1

STRAYED
From the premises of the undersigned last fall, a white and red steer, branded J.N. with half diamond underneath on left ribs. Finder please notify JAMES NOBLE, E 10-37-25 W.4th, Edmonton. Mar. 21.

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Apr. 19-19

Pianos tuned—J. E. Welton, Phone 86

Pte. Robert Page was up from Calgary Thursday last.

Mrs. G. H. Good is visiting her son at Rocky Mountain House.

Mrs. Todd and children will spend Easter with friends in Edmonton.

Mrs. E. A. Volk, of Calgary, was the guest of Mrs. K. M. Byers last week.

Send your Easter Cards to-day. Gaetz-Cornett Co. have a nice assortment.

Harry Evans left for Edmonton Saturday last to join the 159th university battalion.

Inspector Lindsay returned from Rocky Mountain House where he held court last Tuesday.

Robert Reidy, Chief of Police at Castor, has accepted a position on the force at Copper Cliff.

Mrs. Aubrey Wood, of Saskatoon, and Master Tom and Addie Hives are visiting Mrs. Carwell.

Pte. M. Hey of the 63rd battalion was in the city last week bidding his parents and friends good-bye.

The Best Furniture Co. are local selling agents for those famous Congoleum Floor Rugs. Ask to see them. Remember the Cinderella dance in the Parish Hall on Monday evening next from 8.30 to 1.30. Select music for the occasion.

A sample of the city drinking water will in future be sent every week to the Provincial Laboratory, at their request for testing purposes.

The Institute Tea Room and Woman's Exchange on Easter Saturday April 22 will be in charge of Mrs. Simpson, Mrs. Lord and Mrs. Plaxton.

The Red Deer Fire Brigade will hold their annual ball on Friday, April 29th. Great preparation is being made by the firemen for this event.

The usual meeting of the Sons of England Benefit Society will be held on April 26th, instead of the 17th. Whist drive same night at 8 o'clock. Usual price.

By request, the choir of the Methodist church will repeat Part III of the Sacred Cantata "From Manger to Cross" at the evening service on Easter Sunday.

Remember the meeting for Bible study in the Baptist Church to-night at 8 o'clock. Study led by the pastor Rev. L. E. Drough. Everybody welcome. Bring your Bibles.

Miss Patterson of Dr. Parsons' office staff is leaving Red Deer about the end of this month to take up Red Cross nursing. She expects to leave for England about the middle of May.

A. R. Reynolds, writes from Woodstock, Ont., that he tried to join the local battalion there and was again turned down on account of his eyesight. Dr. Henry George thinks there should be a button given to those who offer their services to the Empire, but are rejected through some physical defect.

L. Revereand, living northeast of the city was brought before Justice Wallace Friday last by the Health Inspector charged with carrying milk for the city in the same wagon in which he carries swill and garbage and filth. He was fined \$25 and costs. The M.H.O. also ordered the Inspector to notify Revereand that he is prohibited from bringing any dairy products into the city.

W. T. Bowley has been appointed general manager for the National Manufacturing Co. for this province for both sales and collection departments and will move with his family to Edmonton. He has been in the employment of the Company for the past six months and served several years prior to entering the real estate business with them. Mr. Bowley has made a good citizen and it is with regret we learn of his removal from the city, but we wish him all success in his new field of labor.

A meeting of the members of the Red Deer Citizens' Band and all others interested in the re-organization of the Band for the current year will be held in the city hall on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. A meeting of the Band was held last Friday night, the day the Advocate appeared, as a result of notices issued early in the week. So the Advocate's reference to Wetaskiwin was not responsible for the move made by the officers of the Band although it should serve as a very timely hint to all those in the city who are capable of assisting as Bandmen or active supporters in any capacity whatever. Action speaks louder than words, so here's hoping that the meeting on Thursday evening will be well attended.

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Miss French, of the Normal School Calgary, takes Harry Evans' place, as teacher in Springvale school.

Mrs. J. Collison and Mrs. G. Wright will receive together at the residence of Mrs. Collison on Friday next 19th of April for the last time this season.

The Best Furniture Co. have an exceptionally fine assortment of Baby Carriages, folding Go-Carts, Express Wagons, etc. Their prices are right.

John T. Watson will sever his connection with the Western General Electric Company as Chief Engineer on May first to take a position as Chief Engineer of Lethbridge city plant.

Mr. Watson has been a faithful official of the Western General Company and is an exceptionally able engineer and Lethbridge can congratulate it on securing his services. Mr. Watson is a prominent Mason and will be missed in Kenilworth Lodge.

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FOR RENT

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NOTICE!

MUNICIPALITY OF THE VILLAGE OF EVARTS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims against the Municipality of the Village of Everts are required to send particulars of such claim to Mr. S. Lindelen of Everts, the Secretary-Treasurer of said village, before 12 noon, day of May, 1916, and that any person who fails to do so will be deemed to have waived his claim and any other organization that may be liable for the liabilities thereof.

Dated at Everts this 12th day of April, 1916.

S. LINDELEN
Secretary-Treasurer of Village of Everts.

April 17, 4-w-

MAIL CONTRACT

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster-General, will be received at Ottawa until Noon, on Friday, the 12th May, 1916 for the conveyance of 11 Mailbags, 1 Mail, on a proposed Contract for four years, six times per week each way, over Innisfail Rural Route No. 1 from the Postmaster-General's pleasure.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract, may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Innisfail and Markerville, and at the office of the Post Office Inspector.

Post Office Inspector's Office, Calgary, March 31st, 1916.

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are again accepting hay for the Department of Agriculture, but a limited number of cars only and for a limited time. Nothing but Number 1 wanted. Price \$10.50. Same terms as previous. Let us know what you have and we may inspect it.

Notice to Creditors and Claimants

In the estate of Cornelius Millin, Neil Millin, late of Red Deer, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the late Cornelius Millin who died on the 5th day of July, A.D. 1914, are required to send to the undersigned Administrator of his Estate by the 10th day of May, 1916, a full statement duly verified, of their claims and any securities held by them, and that after that date the Administrator will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or brought to its knowledge.

DATED this 10th day of April, 1916.

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Boquet Laureole Toilet Water, \$1.00 and \$1.50.

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